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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Communication mailed April 7, 2008 concerning the above-referenced application, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner enter the following amendments and consider the response to restriction requirement and remarks set forth herein:

Amendments to the Claims are provided in the **Listing of Claims** which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.